

(circular) "Does not effect the heart * * * Stops pain without causing any after effects." It was further alleged in substance in the libel that the article was misbranded in violation of section 8 of the act, paragraph 3 as amended, in the case of drugs, in that the labeling bore the following statements regarding the curative and therapeutic effects of the said article, (bottle label) "To relieve * * * Neuralgia, Menstrual Pains, * * * Etc. * * * 1 to 2 tablets per hour until relieved," (carton label) "Safe, Rapid, Harmless * * * Does Not Affect The Heart. * * * For * * * Neuralgia, Periodic Pains * * * and La Grippe, Etc. For Relief of Pain," (circular) "Invigorating Sedafen is a * * * pain reliever. Does not affect the heart * * * Sedafen Speedily relieves pain in * * * Headaches of the habitual type, more especially those due to Menstrual Disorders, Nervous Condition, Mental Exhaustion from overwork. Difficult * * * Painful Menstruation * * * La Grippe, Influenza, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Neuritis. Sleeplessness due to pain irritation and congestion. * * * Pains of the Acute Gall Stone Attack. Sedafen for all pains and aches * * * restores you to normal * * * this wonderful pain reliever * * * stops pain * * * For * * * Painful Menstruation, Earache, Neuritis, Neuralgia, Traumatic Pain, Pain of the Acute Gall Stone Attack. 1 to 2 tablets per hour until relieved. For Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lumbago, 2 tablets every 2 to 4 hours. For * * * La Grippe, Influenza, 1 to 2 tablets followed by 1 tablet every 2 hours until relieved. For sleeplessness," and by reason of the above-quoted false and fraudulent statements the product should be condemned.

On June 8, 1929, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

16556. Misbranding of Rider's Liniment. U. S. v. 4 Cases of Rider's Liniment. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 22774. S. No. 784.)

On May 17, 1928, the United States attorney for the Northern District of Texas, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 4 cases of Rider's liniment, remaining in the original unbroken packages at Dallas, Tex., consigned by G. Haggard Rider, San Diego, Calif., alleging that the article had been shipped from San Diego, Calif., on or about February 6, 1928, and transported from the State of California into the State of Texas, and charging misbranding in violation of the food and drugs act as amended.

Analysis of a sample of the article by this department showed that it consisted essentially of a mineral oil, such as gasoline, containing traces of sassafras oil and camphor.

The article was labeled in part: (Bottle label) "Muscular Cramp, Muscular Rheumatism, Bronchial Cough, Spasmodic Croup, Wind Colic, Acute Pleurisy, Lumbago;" (carton) "Tends to relieve Inflammation and to allay pain. * * * Muscular Rheumatism, Lumbago, Acute Pleurisy, Wind Colic, Bronchial Cough, Spasmodic Croup, Muscular Cramp * * * In Muscular Rheumatism massage the flesh firmly but gently with the fingers. * * * A remedy for Man, Woman or Child. External Use Only * * * Neuralgia, Sciatica, Neuralgia, Headache, Toothache * * * Stiffness and Soreness of the Muscles after * * * Exposure. * * * Wind Colic apply over Stomach and Bowels;" (circular) "The name Eucalyptus Oil Compound now changed to Rider's Household Liniment (changed in name only) * * * The Great Penetrating Liniment for Many Emergencies In the Household. This Liniment will Prove Helpful. It Tends to Relieve Inflammation and to Allay Pain. * * * The Price of Good Health is Eternal Vigilance. One must fight Sickness, Disease and Human Ailments like you would fight the Devil or a fire in your home. What's a Cold? A Cold is a congestion and inflammation which settles at some weak spot or organ of your body, there to develop until it becomes chronic, and in many cases causing operations and premature deaths. Congestion is the foundation of disease and human ailments in Man, Woman or Child. * * * For Men, Women and Children. The Great Penetrating and Healing Liniment * * * Enclosed find money order for \$3.50 for which please send me one quart of Eucalyptus Oil Compound, at once, as have 'Flu' in my family now. * * * Please send me a quart bottle of your Eucalyptus Oil Compound (Now changed to Household Liniment.) I don't

see how we can get along without it. I use it for everything. * * * I have a baby and have always used it on her for colds and stomach trouble and have never had to have a Dr. in my house. * * * Find enclosed a \$2.25 P. O. money order for which please send me one pint of Eucalyptus Oil Compound (now changed to Rider's Household Liniment). It is so good for colds. * * * Enclosed please find money order for \$3.50 for which please send me one quart Eucalyptus Oil Compound (now changed to Rider's Household Liniment) * * * Use it for all pains and colds and is great for sick stomach, as one or two applications will relieve it. * * * Enclosed find P. O. money order for \$3.50 for one quart of your Eucalyptus Oil Compound. It is the most wonderful oil and I cannot get along without it. Have tried it on a sore kidney (loose) and have had wonderful results. * * * Please send me one pint of Eucalyptus Oil Compound * * * It is so great, it is the only thing we find to kill pain. * * * Rider's Eucalyptus Oil Compound (now changed to Rider's Household Liniment) must be a wonderful remedy * * * Good Health is the Greatest Blessing, the Loss of It the Greatest Misfortune. Thousands of afflicted men and women who have used Eucalyptus Oil Compound (now changed to Household Liniment), can testify it is the most remarkable and all around Liniment. Remember—An Ache or Pain is a telegraph or telephone message to your Brain that there is something wrong with you. It's a warning to you to get busy at once. Rider's Household Liniment—For many emergencies in the Home this Liniment will prove helpful. It tends to relieve inflammation and to allay Pain."

It was alleged in the libel that the article was misbranded in that the above-quoted statements regarding the curative and therapeutic effects of the said article, borne on the labeling, were false and fraudulent in that the article contained no ingredient or combination of ingredients capable of producing the effects claimed.

On February 16, 1929, no claimant having appeared for the property, judgment of condemnation and forfeiture was entered, and it was ordered by the court that the product be destroyed by the United States marshal.

ARTHUR M. HYDE, *Secretary of Agriculture.*

16557. Adulteration and misbranding of Capsi-Quin compound tablets and misbranding of glycerio-terpin compound. U. S. v. 1 Dozen Bottles of Capsi-Quin Compound Tablets, et al. Default decree of condemnation, forfeiture, and destruction. (F. & D. No. 23689. I. S. Nos. 08527, 08528. S. No. 1875.)

On May 7, 1929, the United States attorney for the District of Massachusetts, acting upon a report by the Secretary of Agriculture, filed in the District Court of the United States for said district a libel praying seizure and condemnation of 1 dozen bottles of Capsi-Quin compound tablets and 4 bottles of glycerio-terpin compound, remaining in the original unbroken packages at New Bedford, Mass., alleging that the articles had been shipped by Boss & Seiffert Co. (Inc.), from Providence, R. I., on or about January 17 and April 6, 1929, respectively, and transported from the State of Rhode Island into the State of Massachusetts, and charging adulteration and misbranding with respect to the former, and misbranding with respect to the latter, in violation of the food and drugs act as amended.

Analyses of samples of the articles by this department showed that the Capsi-Quin compound tablets contained 0.9 grain of quinine sulphate, 1.3 grains of acetanilide, and a small amount of capsicum in each tablet; and that the glycerio-terpin compound contained a codeine salt, chloroform, terpin hydrate, ammonium chloride, tolu, glycerin, alcohol, and water.

It was alleged in the libel that the Capsi-Quin compound tablets were adulterated in that the said article of drugs was sold under the following standard of strength "Acetanilid—Grs. 1½," whereas, in truth and in fact, the strength of said article fell below such professed standard.

Misbranding was alleged with respect to the said Capsi-Quin compound tablets for the reason that the statement on the label, "Acetanilid—1½ grs," was false and misleading. Misbranding was alleged with respect to both products for the reason that the statement on the label of the Capsi-Quin compound tablets, as follows, "Influenza * * * Fever," and the statement on the label of the glycerio-terpin compound as follows, "Indications—Acute and chronic bronchitis, coughs * * * la grippe, laryngitis, phthisis," regarding the curative and therapeutic effects of the said articles were false and fraudulent in that they contained no ingredient or combination of ingredients capable of producing the effects claimed.